



**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicants: Williams et al.  
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**RESPONSE ACCOMPANYING A REQUEST FOR CONTINUED  
EXAMINATION**

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on September 4, 2008, hereinafter the "Office Action", and the Advisory Action mailed December 31, 2008, hereinafter the "Advisory Action," Applicants respectfully submit the following response.

**Remarks** begin on page 2 of this paper.